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LOCAL & PERSONAL

THE LIGHTS STILL SHINE.

A called meeting of the Directors of the Hondo Chamber of Commerce last Saturday afternoon canvassed the subscriptions recently made for maintaining the organization's yearly budget and found enough pledges in sight to maintain the former activities virtually unchanged. Accordingly the lights were again turned on Saturday night after having been off since the second day of the new year.

The Board of Directors and its committee which helped secure the donations are to be congratulated individually and collectively on the achievement. There was considerable doubt as to whether it could be done, and in view of the threatened possibility of having to dispense entirely with some feature of the organization's activities, the seeming impossibility to agree on which was the least essential threatened to bankrupt the whole enterprise. But with the whole service carried on without impairment, and financed by the volunteer contributions of those willing and able to pay, the man who insisted on keeping his night watchman can cheerfully congratulate his brother who insisted on having his street lights and vice versa, and both rejoice at having what he wanted.

The gentlemen engineering the move have done the town a splendid service.

Ralph de Montel left Saturday for New Orleans, where he goes to take six week's training in Linotype Mechanics at the Mergenthaler Company's trade school. As a consequence, we have been operating short-handed this week, but will try to handle any business you have for us on time. A note from Ralph informs us that he arrived in New Orleans early Monday morning and had enrolled at once for his course in the school.

Wanted, young woman, German descent preferred, must be honest and know how to cook and do general house work. Must like children, permanent work assured to satisfactory party, to live on place. Anyone wanting work in my home please write particulars to W. B. MURRAY, P. O. Box 197, Eagle Pass, Tex. 27tf

Dandruff will clog the pores and prevent a cold from breaking. No need to dread your weekly shampoo. We are equipped to take care of you in cold weather for your shampoo, scalp and facial treatments, finger or comb waving, marcelling, hair tinting and trimming, etc. Ladies Beauty Shoppe.

Mrs. Elsie Worden moved into her comfortable new home one day this week. The new residence is on the north side of town, and next door to the home of Mrs. Worden's parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Bradley.

Nuel Windrow spent last week-end with his father, W. H. Windrow, and family. Nuel, who is a student of pharmacy at Baylor in Dallas, was enjoying a vacation following final examinations.

Mrs. Mary Mofield and daughter, Miss Bernice, spent the week-end in San Antonio as guests of Mrs. Mofield's daughters, Mesdames Wermette and Montgomery and Miss Dorothy Mofield.

Mrs. Robert Decker underwent a serious operation at the Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio last Saturday. Her friends will be glad to know that she is getting along very well.

Messrs. Ulrich Burger and Clarence Wright took advantage of the term examinations for a week-end visit with relatives. The two boys are Freshmen at Texas University.

The Anvil Herald is requested to announce that there will be no preaching services at the Hondo St. Paul's Lutheran church next Sunday, January 25th.

Miss Ada Ross of San Antonio has been the guest of Miss Josie Lebold for the past two weeks. Miss Ross is the niece of Mr. Herbert Lamb of this place.

Farms and Ranches for sale, Dr. O. B. TAYLOR, Realtor. 27-tf

1925 Ford touring \$35. McElroy Motor Co. 27-1t

DISTRICT COURT.

Court reconvened Monday, January 19, with the usual officers in attendance.

The following jury was empaneled for the week:

Mathias Koch, August Boehme, John Zinsmeyer, Eddie J. Bendele, Albert Mangold, Will Weber, Eddie J. Haby, Joe Nehr, Robert Haegelin, Eddie Bader, Louis Garteiser, August Nseter, Geo. Schmidt, A. E. Nester, Frank Wolff, Ernest Wiemers, Julius Ahr, Ben Koch, Emil Wolff, Henry Franger, John Zuercher, Gus. A. Mechler, L. E. Kollman, Jr., Herman Koch, Henry Poerner, Ralph Tschirhart, Edw. L. Balzen, Arthur Poerner, Raymond Haby, Alfred Bader. The jurors served two days and were discharged.

The case of Joseph Courand vs. Jordan T. Lawler, Suit on note was called for hearing Monday. The following jury was empaneled to hear the case: Frank Wolff, Henry Poerner, Gus. A. Mechler, Joe Nehr, Eddie J. Haby, August Boehme, Raymond Haby, Alfred Bader, Arthur Poerner, Ernest Wiemers, Will Weber and Mathias Koch. The case is still on trial as we close our forms Thursday.

PREACHES ON EDUCATION.

Rev. P. E. Lancaster, as announced in last week's Anvil Herald, preached on the subject of Education at his morning service at the local Methodist church last Sunday morning. Many of us when we think of education think it begins and ends with our public schools. Rev. Lancaster showed plainly that we can not dismiss it that lightly. Education, as he viewed it, is not only a life process for the individual, touched, influenced and directed by many factors contacted with in our daily lives, but is a great social force that is changing our mental attitude as a race towards the many great moral and religious principals that have been held in sacred reverence by thoughtful people.

The subject presents a great challenge to serious thought and prayerful service to the church of today.

FOR SALE.

Good sound Mesquite Posts; first come, first pick. Also cord wood, Mesquite and Oak. HY. L. WEYNAND, R. A. Hondo. 26-4tc

THRESHER NOTICE.

If you have any cane seed bring it and we will thresh it for you January 26, 1931. 25-2tpd

CHAS. KRENMUELLER.

DR. AND MRS. SMITH HOSTS.

The lovely suburban home of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith was the scene of a delightful bridge party, Tuesday night, when Dr. and Mrs. Smith entertained the members of the Thursday Bridge Club, their husbands, and a few additional guests. There were six tables arranged for bridge.

Preceding the games, a delicious supper, consisting of apple salad, veal loaf, asparagus tips, hot rolls, mint ice cream, angel food cake, and coffee, was served. The serving was in two courses.

Mrs. O. B. Taylor won high score among the lady members, and Judge R. J. Noonan won among the men. High guest prize for both the men and the ladies went to Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Miller.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Finger, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starnes, Judge and Mrs. L. J. Brucks, Judge and Mrs. R. J. Noonan, Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyer, Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Knopp, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rothe, and Miss Lillian Brucks.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. Oscar Miller was hostess of an interesting bridge, Thursday afternoon, entertaining members of the Thursday Bridge Club and a few additional guests. Tables were arranged for sixteen players.

High score prize among the members went to Mrs. O. B. Taylor, and low to Mrs. R. J. Noonan. High guest prize was won by Mrs. Henry Windrow.

The hostess served a savory luncheon of creamed oysters in pattie shells, molded vegetable salad, sal-tines, fruit tarts, and hot chocolate.

Those enjoying the bridge were Mesdames Horace Bradley, L. E. Heath, L. J. Brucks, R. J. Noonan, W. H. Smith, Earl Starnes, T. B. Knopp, H. J. Meyer, O. B. Taylor, Charles Monkhouse, Jack Lacy, Richard Reilly, Henry Merriman, Henry Windrow, J. G. Barry, and Miss Imaj Eldridge of Uvalde.

FOUR BASKETBALL GAMES SATURDAY.

Four high school basketball teams will play Saturday in a like number of games at the Hondo Gym. Two matches will be played in the afternoon and two at night.

The schedule for the day reads: Hondo vs. Uvalde 2:00 P. M. Yancey vs. Del Rio 3:30 P. M. Hondo vs. Del Rio 7:30 P. M. Yancey vs. Uvalde 9:00 P. M.

An Important Message To The Businessman

DOUBLE YOUR ADVERTISING ADVISES WISE MERCHANT.

"Don't give a newspaper a dollar." Such is the advice spoken by a well known merchant over the radio recently. He was directing his remarks to business men in small towns and cities. "Don't give the newspaper a dollar," he emphasized. "Instead buy twice as much advertising as you think you can afford for a period of one year. Then watch your business grow."

"The newspaper," he said, "is an accurate mirror of the town which it serves. If your town is a live News town, one that can meet the intense competition of today, the newspaper will be filled each issue with snappy invitations to trade at the various stores of that town. Your newspaper is your weekly or daily contact with the people of your trade territory. Use it liberally and you will be surprised at the results."

"The merchants in any community where a real newspaper is published could afford to pay the subscription of the paper for every resident within thirty miles—they would get their money back many times over by increasing contracts for advertising messages."

"Boost for your newspaper. It is always boosting the community and the boost you give will pay you big dividends."

We might add to the above accurate statement that the active efforts of the publisher of a community newspaper to add to the advertising patronage of his paper are prompted entirely by his desire to make a living and his conviction that the prosperity of his business depends upon that of the people of the community served by his paper. Briefly stated, it is the publisher's duty to his community to turn out a good paper, one that will command the respect and confidence of its readers, and creditably represent its business interests. The larger his circulation the greater his opportunities for attracting the general good and the more he has to sell to his advertisers."

In soliciting local advertising the conscientious publisher feels that he is asking others to the surest road to growth and prosperity and to the development of the district in which they do business, and that in doing so he is helping himself.—Carondelet News.

MRS. MINERVA PENNINGTON.

Mrs. Minerva Pennington died at her daughters' home Sunday morning, January 11, 1931, and was buried in the Hondo Cemetery Sunday afternoon, Rev. Merrill, pastor of the local Baptist church, conducted the funeral.

Mrs. Pennington (nee Jones) was born near Bunker Hill, Ill., May 5, 1849. She moved to Texas and settled several miles northeast of Hondo in 1877, and has been known and highly respected all these many years.

Before coming to Texas she married Mr. Elias Pennington of Bunker Hill, Ill., with whom she lived until his death seven years ago. There were seven children born to this union, only one of whom is now living. Mrs. Pennington became a Christian in early life and united with the Baptist Church near her childhood home in Illinois.

She was a good wife, a loving mother and loyal to her friends. In her death she leaves to mourn her one daughter, Mrs. Thad Gilliam of Hondo; three grandsons, William, Turbin and Charlie Gilliam; one granddaughter, Mrs. Sam Neuman; and two great grandchildren, Billy Oak and Dorothy Lee Gilliam.

The pallbearers were F. S. Wolff, Ben Schueling, Sr., E. A. Parsons, Toby Koch, C. W. Gilliam and O. P. Ross.

JUNIOR BRIDGE CLUB.

The members of the Junior Bridge Club and several guests were hospitably entertained with several interesting games of bridge, Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. Henry Merriman as hostess. Her home was lovely with baskets of rosebuds and fern for decoration.

A delightful luncheon course was served, consisting of chicken croquettes, molded pear salad with cottage cheese, saltines, hot rolls, olives, squares of graham cracker cake, hot tea and coffee.

The guests were Mesdames L. E. Kollman, Elmer Leinweber, Gariand Martin, Jack Lacy, Eugene Mofield, Elsie Worden, Meliff Lippold, Richard Reilly, Horace Bradley, L. J. Brucks, L. E. Heath, R. J. Noonan, T. B. Knopp, H. J. Meyer, O. B. Taylor, and Miss Bess Brucks.

EX-SERVICE MEN VOICE WISHES.

Pursuant to the call for a meeting of Ex-Service men to meet here on Wednesday night, about 150 assembled at the courthouse.

After organization and a statement of the purpose of the meeting, a set of resolutions were adopted asking Congress to pass a bill authorizing full and immediate cash payment of the soldier bonus.

Copies of the resolutions were ordered sent to Congressman John N. Garner and Senators Morris Sheppard and Tom Connally at Washington.

PROMINENT HEIGHTS RESIDENT EXPIRES.

Mrs. Katherine Duffy, 62, prominent Heights resident, died at her home, 504 West Eight, at 8:30 A. M. Thursday. Mrs. Duffy was the wife of R. J. Duffy, retired contractor.

She had lived in the Heights for the last 37 years. Besides her husband, she is survived by her mother, Mrs. O. F. Neumann of Hondo, Texas; two brothers, Fritz Neumann and Otto Neumann, both of Hondo; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Poehler, Mrs. Lena DeGroot and Mrs. Elizabeth Chism; one son, Richard N. Duffy; three daughters, Mrs. Ruby Weis, Mrs. Mary Smith and Mrs. Iva Penick, and seven grandchildren, all of whom are now living.

Funeral services will be held at 3 P. M. Friday at the residence, with Rev. James J. Tipton officiating. Burial will be in Hollywood Cemetery under the direction of the Heights Undertaking Company.

Mrs. Duffy was a member of the Church of Christ, and of the American Benefit Association.

The above clipping from a Houston paper will be of interest to many of our readers all of whom sympathize with the bereaved ones.

CATTLE THIEVES ARRESTED.

Cattle have been disappearing with such frequency and regularity recently that suspicions of theft were aroused. Following the development of clues, Sheriff Chas. J. Schuele and his force of deputies by a piece of clever detective work seem to have broken up an organized band of cattle thieves.

Three young Mexicans were arrested Monday night and lodged in three separate jails, Hondo, San Antonio and Uvalde. Two of the parties have confessed and a clear case seems to have been made against the gang.

The scheme seems to have been to load the animals into a truck and rush them into San Antonio during the night where they were disposed of and butchered.

BADGERS, MOORE HIGH PLAY TUESDAY.

Moore High School, champions of Frio County in 1930 and picked to repeat this year, will be the guest of the Hondo Badgers at 7:30 Tuesday night. The game will be played at the Hondo Gym.

The Badgers will be seeking their fourth straight win, but will be without the services of Montel, regular center. The Badgers' starting lineup will probably read: Tony Taylor and Roy Schweers, forwards; Glynn Jones, center; Jack Mask and Carter Snooks, guards.

Moore has scored an impressive string of victories and boasts a team that never misses a crisp shot.

VALENTINES!

Valentines, get yours at Windrow's Drug Store. 27-1t

This Young Model Builder Is Making His Hobby Pay



JOSEPH H. EHRHARDT

This 17-year-old St. Louis boy was among the first to enroll in the Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild, following announcement of the Guild's coach-building competition for four university scholarships and 980 other awards. Joseph has already earned a trip to Europe by his model-building skill, and he is putting himself through high school by running a model airplane business of his own. He confidently expects to continue his education on one of the four-year scholarships offered to members of the guild.

LACOSTE LEDGERETS.

From The LaCoste Ledger,
DIRECTORS ELECTED.

At the Annual Stockholders meeting of the LaCoste National Bank held at the bank Tuesday morning, January 13, all the old directors were re-elected, namely: Messrs. Edmund Keller, W. H. Hawkes, Henry Gross, Ed. Schmidt, Ed. Wells, Paul Jungman and Wm. Santleben.

Shortly after the Stockholders' meeting the directors re-elected the same officers for the ensuing year, Edm. Keller, president; W. H. Hawkes, vice president; A. P. Parma, cashier, and H. F. Keller, assistant cashier.

Mrs. T. R. Kirby and daughter and Mrs. G. F. Griffin from Atascosa spent Wednesday with friends and relatives here.

Miss Clarise Keller, who had been visiting homefolks here for several months, left this week for San Antonio where she will take up nursing.

Mesdames August Grossenbacher from the Sauz and Aug. Reus and Clara Toepperwein from San Antonio were visiting relatives here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bippert from Moore and Mrs. Bertha Bippert and daughter, Mrs. F. S. Hayes, from Natalia passed through here en-route to Hondo Monday, where they paid Arthur Bippert, who is a patient at the Hondo Hospital, a visit.

MRS. ANASTASTIO HUTZLER.

Mrs. Anastasio Hutzler, nee Mehr, died at her home at 8:30 P. M. Monday, January 12, 1931, after an illness of 20 days duration, during which time the best of medical attention was given her, but of no avail and she gently passed away well fortified with the Sacraments of the Catholic Church, of which she had been a consistent member.

Mrs. Hutzler was born on May 20, 1847, in Alsace Lorraine was therefore 83 years, 7 months and 12 days old at her death. On January 9, 1866, she was happily married to Augustine Hutzler, who survives her, and to this union five children were born, three boys and two girls, namely: Louis, Edmund and Alfred Hutzler; and Mrs. Edmund Haby of Dunlay and Mrs. Aug. Tschirhart, Sr. of Castroville. She also leaves 12 grand children, 10 great-grandchildren, one brother, Joe Mehr, and two sisters, Mrs. Catherine Holzhaus and Mrs. Josephine Naegelin of Castroville, and many other near and dear relatives to mourn her passing.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutzler resided at Eader Settlement for the greater part of their lives, but some five years ago moved to Castroville, where she continued in spite of her age to perform her household duties until Christmas Day, when she was stricken with the fatal illness. Dropsy of the heart, together with old age being the cause of her death.

A good mother and old pioneer, one who braved the wilderness when this country was infested with the red man has gone to her last reward.

The funeral took place Wednesday morning, January 14, at 9:30 and after a Mass of Requiem offered by Rev. Lenzen for the repose of her soul, was tenderly laid to rest in the St. Louis Cemetery, where she now rests in peace from her earthly labors to arise on Judgement Day.

To the grief-stricken we offer our sincerest sympathies in this their hour of sorrow, may a good "heavenly Father" who doeth all things for the best comfort them in this their great bereavement. May she rest in peace.

Jos. L. Tondre from Castroville was here on business Monday.

Messrs. W. F. and James Biediger were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Adolph Zinsmeyer from the Sauz was a LaCoste visitor Tuesday.

Louis Koehler from MacDona was a business visitor here last Friday.

Herbert Tondre from Castroville was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neumann and daughter, Mrs. H. R. Marbach and sons from the Riomedina were La Coste visitors last Thursday.

Miss Olga Geiger from San Antonio spent the week-end with homefolks here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Haby from Dunlay were short visitors here Monday.

E. J. Schott, the race horse breeder from above Riomedina, was a business visitor here Monday.

O. W. Huegele and son, Clarence, from Yellow Banks were business visitors here Tuesday.

Paul Bippert from the Sauz was a short visitor here Wednesday.

Messrs. Joseph Marbach, Jr., and Anton Flatthouse from Macdonna were short visitors here last Saturday.

Messrs. H. W. Keller and Emil Mangold from the Sauz were business visitors here Monday.

Miss Bessie Bippert from San Antonio spent Sunday with homefolks here.

Mrs. Rosa Geiger spent a few days the past week in San Antonio visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bolton and daughter, Ruby Mae, were San Antonio visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vonlie of Castroville were visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles here Tuesday.

Mesdames Paul Koenig and A. F. Bippert were San Antonio visitors last Friday.

Wm. Wurzbach from Riomedina was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Messrs. Emil Elmendorf and Erwin Conrad of San Antonio spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bippert and son

FAVORITE RECIPES OF A FAMOUS CHEF

As Told to Anne Eaker
By ROGER CRETAUX, Chef,
The Roosevelt, New York City

Spaghetti Imperial—Heat one-fourth cup salad oil in a saucepan. Add two medium-size chopped onions and two tablespoons chopped green peppers.

Cook until half tender. Then add one pint canned tomatoes, one teaspoon salt, and one and a half lumps of sugar. Cook slowly until the onions and peppers are done, and the sauce is reduced by about one-third. Have ready one-half pound cooked spaghetti. The spaghetti is cooked by dropping it in rapidly boiling, salted water and cooking until tender. Place the spaghetti in a heated dish. Pour the sauce over it, and grate over the top, two ounces of Parmesan cheese.

Stuffed Cucumbers—Cut three medium-size cucumbers in half lengthwise, and cook until tender in salted water. Scoop out the centers, and fill each half with a mixture consisting of three cups cooked rice, one cup chili sauce, one tablespoon vinegar, one tablespoon sugar, two tablespoons tomato ketchup, one teaspoon paprika, salt and pepper to taste, and one large onion which has been chopped fine and cooked in melted butter. Serve immediately, being sure that the portions are very hot.

and Miss Renata Wurzbach from Cliff were visiting relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Rosa Hutzler and daughter, Miss Flossie, and son, Joe and Mrs. Julius Biediger and daughter, Betty Jo, and son, Kenneth, were business visitors here last Thursday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kriewald, an 8½ pound baby boy on Saturday, January 10, 1931. Mother and son are getting along fine and papa is wearing a broad smile.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kriewald was christened Tuesday. The name given the young man was Arthur Louis, Jr. Sponsors were Mrs. Chas. R. Loessberg and Louis Kriewald, Jr.

Messrs. Wm. Schmidt from San Antonio, August Schmidt from Del Rio, Hubert Zuercher from Castroville, Ed. Wells from Lytle and Henry Gross from D'Hanis were here for the Annual Stockholders' meeting of the LaCoste National Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Griffin from Atascosa visited homefolks here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Salzman and son, Raymond and daughters, Olivia and Johanna, Mrs. Lee Bush and son, Max, and Louis Salzman from here and Mrs. John Conrad and sons, Ralph and Edwin, and daughter, Olga, from Noonan and Mrs. A. L. Haller from Devine attended the funeral of their uncle, Wilfred Toudouze, at Lening Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ahr and Mrs. W. H. Hawkes took a trip down to Harlingen in the Magic Valley Sunday, they paid Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Austin and baby daughter at La Fera a visit and returned in the evening via Corpus Christi. They report lots of rain down through the Valley and the climate nice and warm with wolds of citrus fruit in the orchards. They remembered the Editor and family with a bunch of large and delicious grapefruit which they brought home with them.

GRAB THIS FARM.

A 371-acre farm three miles west of Yancey on good road, good 2-room house, barn, garage, etc., and 160 acres in cultivation. Two good wells equipped with pumps and storage tank sufficient to irrigate considerable tract. Buy this farm and be prepared for all kinds of seasons. Only \$35.00 per acre and terms easily arranged. See us now.

HONDO LAND CO.

FOR SALE.

A 68-acre farm all in cultivation, three room house, barn, good well, located two miles north of court house, just across Hondo Creek. For price and terms on quick sale see SUTHERLAND BROTHERS, Castroville, Texas. 10-11

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PAINS AND HEADACHE

San Antonio, Texas—"I suffered with nervous pains and headache ever since I was thirteen years old. I read several letters in a booklet which Dr. Pierce sent me. I then bought a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it did me so much good that I bought several, and was completely relieved. I recommend its use to all young girls."

—Miss Kathleen Call, Route 4, Box 76, All dealers. Fluid or tablets.

Every package contains a symptom blank. Fill it in and mail to Dr. Pierce's Clinic, Buffalo, N. Y., for free advice. Enclose 10c if you want a trial package of any of Dr. Pierce's medicines.

Reduce the Acid

SICK stomachs, sour stomachs and indigestion usually mean excess acid. The stomach nerves are overstimulated. Too much acid makes the stomach and intestines sour.

Alkali kills acid instantly. The best form is Phillips Milk of Magnesia; one harmless, tasteless dose neutralizes many times its volume in acid. For 50 years the standard with physicians everywhere.

Take a spoonful in water and your unhappy condition will probably end in five minutes. Then you will always know what to do. Crude and harmful methods will never appeal to you. Go prove this for your own sake. It may save a great many disagreeable hours.

Get the genuine Phillips Milk of Magnesia, the kind physicians have prescribed for 50 years.

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DEVINE NEWSLETS.

From The Devine News,
FROM BIRY.

Mr. Henry Vonlie from Castroville spent Tuesday with Rudolph Posch.

Miss Gladys Godden had as her guests Wednesday Mrs. A. M. Patterson and Mrs. Annie Howell from Devine.

We failed to say Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bader and son, August, spent New Years in San Antonio and San Marcos accompanying their son, Matt, back to school at San Marcos.

Mrs. Emma Haass and children spent one day the past week in Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Kempf and children spent one day the past week in Castroville.

Mr. F. J. Biry spent Saturday in San Antonio.

Mrs. Tom Watson and baby and Mrs. Joe Breiten spent one day the past week in Hondo.

Miss Tessie Rihn is spending the week in Riomedina with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Schott.

Miss Lucille Littleton returned home after spending a while with relatives in Devine.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schott of Riomedina spent Sunday with Mrs. Lewis Rihn.

We received the sad news of the death of Mr. Henry Senne, who passed away at his home at nine last night, after a long illness of several months. He is survived by his widow, four sons and one daughter. He will be laid to rest in the home cemetery at 3:30 P. M.

CHEVROLET COMPANY PLANS ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN.

Another aggressive advertising campaign with newspaper display columns carrying the brunt of the attack, is promised for this year by R. K. White advertising manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company.

Long one of the nation's leading advertisers, the Chevrolet organization lent its endorsement to the pulling power of the newspaper by using 6,700 dailies and weeklies to announce its new 1931 car in November, the largest newspaper schedule ever used by Chevrolet in one campaign since the inception of the company.

This move was made despite sub-normal business conditions and the generally slackened promotional activities of manufacturers in and out of the automobile industry.

"We made this move," Mr. White explained, "because we are in direct accord with the frequently expressed view that the only way to make bad business good and good business better is to put abnormal effort into your activities when you face sub-normal conditions."

"Not only did we carry the largest newspaper schedule we ever used, but we enlisted new forms of advertising to put our new car message across. Both the radio and the motion picture screen were added this year. Both are new media in our program, and both were added because a manufacturer with a national market intensively cultivated cannot afford to overlook any new means of approach to that market."

"We are continuing to use the radio and the screen to supplement and buttress our newspaper campaigns just as we have always used national magazines, outdoor boards, direct mail and other media for the same purpose."

"The newspaper, however continues to form the backbone of our campaigns, and for the present will continue to do so. It, in the parlance of the gridiron, carries the ball and the rest run interference."

Rev. L. J. FitzSimon pastor of the local Catholic Church, is taking a months' vacation and rest, during which time he will visit with relatives at Castroville, San Antonio and other points—Karnes County News.

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Hints For Homemakers

By Jane Rogers



It's difficult to time waffles accurately without the use of a time piece, and watching the hands of a watch is ruinous to conversation. An egg timer will solve the problem. The three minutes is just about right for the average waffle iron, and it's easy to watch the running sand without too much concentration.

Fruit fritters with the meat course add a distinctive and doubly welcome touch now that appetites are sharpened by brisk autumn days. Prepare sweetened batter and fry in deep fat exactly as doughnuts are cooked. The fat should be hot enough to brown a piece of bread in 60 seconds. Drain on clean brown paper and sprinkle with powdered sugar just before serving.

WHO ARE THE SPECULATORS?

By P. A. Spain, M. D.

What does it profit a farmer if he sells his crop in a co-operative association when prices are going down?

It is said that after the farm relief board had formed the big co-operatives in the past summer, it immediately bought at 16 cents per pound a big lot of dog tail, hold-over cotton from some big firm, and also a big lot of wheat at a good price, thus starting off at the first jump with an immense bonus to the big speculators.

They never one time proposed to go to the market and buy cotton from the farmer at 16 cents a pound, or wheat at \$2.00 per bushel, and thus try to hold up the market for the farmers. No, sir!

This so-called relief board left the general price makers to carry the price on down to 9 cents on cotton, and 75 cents on wheat, seemingly making no effort whatever to hold it up.

The money which the government has borrowed and put into their

hands, they paid out to big cotton and wheat speculators. If they had aimed to help the farmers the board would have left that big lot of cotton and wheat in the hands of the speculators, and these speculators would have then exercised their influence to keep up the price of crops, but no, our so-called relief board must take cotton and wheat out of the hands of the big speculators at a good price.

Thus it happens that relief was extended to the speculators instead of the farmers. These big speculator firms having pocketed the millions paid them by the relief board, were then ready to go to the market and buy more wheat and cotton, and depress the price all they could.

It looks like a very foolish move on the part of the relief board, unless it was really aiming to reduce prices instead of holding them up.

And yet our farmers, many of them, are still clamoring for more of that kind of relief.

Why should the farmer stand for a thing that is all the time reducing prices of his product? Crop speculators are always trying to run down crop prices while the crops are in the hands of the farmers. That is where their profits come in.

This is exactly what the farm relief board has done. Why did not this board go out and buy the farmer's products at a good price and hold them until the world wanted them at that price? That would have helped the farmer.

But instead of that, it went out and bought speculators' holdings at a good price, and then went forth and bought the farmers' holdings at the low price of eight or nine cents for cotton and 75 cents for wheat.

Wherein does it profit the farmer to sell his crops in bulk unless he can thus raise the price to cost of production? This failure in the big farm board co-op is anything but complimentary to both its motives and actions.

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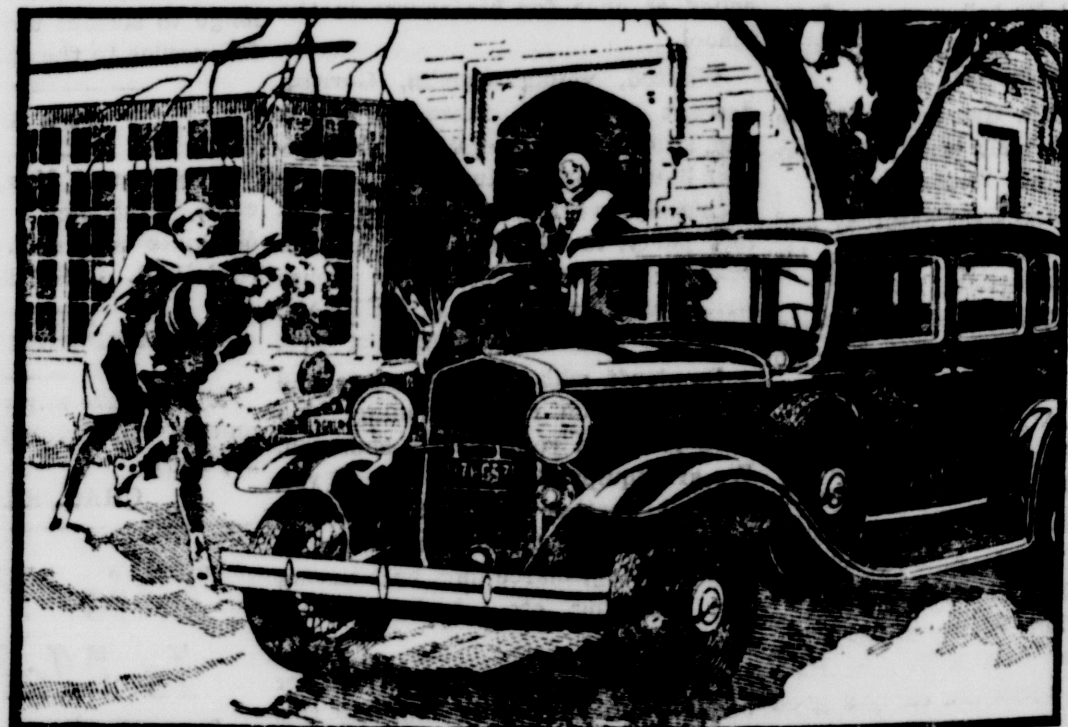
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Mrs. Anna Bourquin, et al to Al- fred Bourquin, warranty deed to Lot No. 5, in Block No. 5, Range No. 8, in town of Castroville. Considera- tion \$1.00 and other considerations.

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J. H. Rothe and wife to M. T. Buchart, warranty deed to 200 acres out of C. C. S. D. & R. G. N. R. Co. Survey No. 399, Ross County Survey No. 399-1-2, and F. DeBour Survey No. 477. Considera- tion \$12,000.00.

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J. W. Grell and wife to Arthur Bell, warranty deed to 11 acres out of Survey No. 21, A. L. Kuykendall. Consideration \$500.00.

David Monreal, et ux to Agapito La Rosa, warranty deed to Lot No. 7, Block No. 21 of the Hattox addition to town of Devine. Con- sideration \$150.00.

A. A. Clements and wife to A. C. Clements, warranty deed to one-half acre in 113.1 acres out of Sur- vey No. 175, N. Andres and No. 1-2, J. Bailey. Consideration \$1.

A. A. Clements and wife and A. C. Clements, warranty deed to Robt. A. Hae- gelin, warranty deed to all of 113.1 acres out of Surveys Nos. 175, N. Andres and 175-1-2, J. Bailey. Con- sideration \$2683.50.

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Adams Company to Mariano Go- dia, warranty deed to Lot 7, Block in town of Devine. Considera- tion \$700.00.

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operation is strongly favored by the author when applied by farmers themselves to certain commodities. Instead of glorifying co-operation altogether, however, he treats the subject as a historian, tracing the whole co-operative movement in America, dealing point blank with failures and showing why they became failures.

He lets history, therefore, show the kind of co-operation that suc- ceeds. It is disclosed by history that success of an enduring and really worth-while economic nature comes when such movements are entirely disassociated from politics, and from professional organizers. The suc- ceeding kind are those built from the ground up by the farmers themselves, and not the kind in which huge sums are extracted from farmers in whirl- wind campaigns to enrich professional organizers and promoters.

This is precisely the position taken by The Constitution in its long and consistent fight for co-operative mar- keting, and for the organization of specific farm and orchard com- munities.

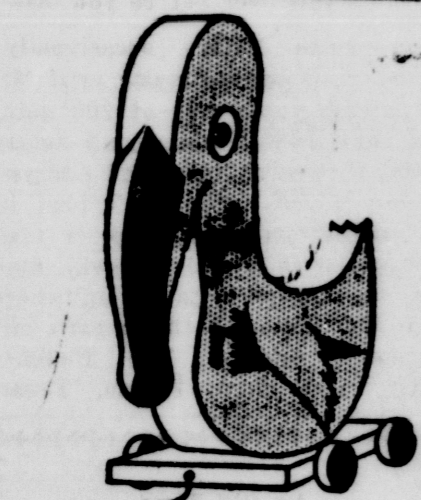
Politics have befogged the farm problem, and until it can be intelli- gently handled by more practical economists, and by more common sense, hard working dirt farmers and fewer political jesters—"friends of downtrodden farmers"—it will not be satisfactorily settled.

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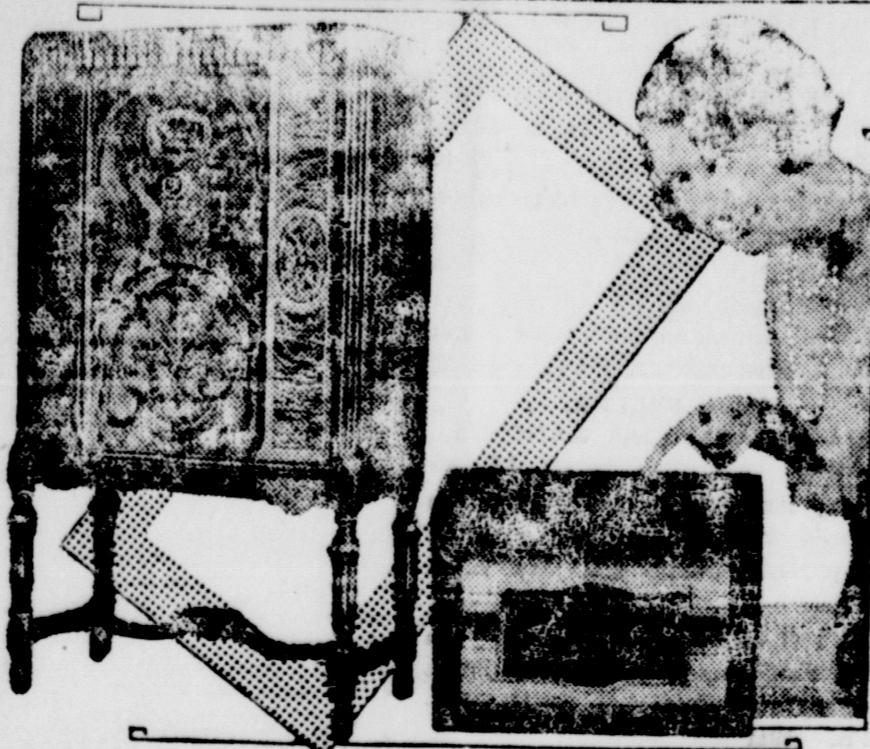


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A "breathing battery" which sustains life by breathing oxygen from the air. Miss Marcella Shields, popular N. B. C. artist, is point- ing to one of the carbon electrode "lungs" through which the bat- tery breathes. Picture at left shows one of the new air cell radio receivers which looks and operates like a modern alternating current set, free from the limitations of the old dry battery receivers.

A new and radically different kind of battery operated radio re- ceiver, requiring no storage bat- tery and free from the defects of the dry battery set, has made its appearance on the market for use in unwired homes.

A number of the country's leading radio manufacturers are producing the new sets, which de- rive "A" current from a revolu- tionary type of "breathing bat- tery" which literally breathes the life giving oxygen from the air to maintain constant voltage over a long period. So efficiently does the battery "breathe" that it will run a seven-tube set using the new two-volt tubes for well over a year, based on an average daily use of three hours, after which it

is discarded and another one pur- chased. Operating cost is actu- ally cheaper than with the old type dry cell sets.

The new "air cell" sets—so- called because of the "breathing" air cell battery it utilizes—are considered the final solution to the problem of satisfactory radio reception in the millions of un- wired homes in rural sections. Broadcasting officials believe it will eventually increase the radio audience by approximately 8,000,000. This is based on the fact that four of the six million fam- ilies in the country have not yet purchased radio receivers be- cause heretofore there has been no receiver which gave satisfac- tion in unwired homes.

A GLIMPSE OF THE OLD TIME CAMP MEETING.

Rev. Henry Boehm, a noted able Methodist preacher, who spent some time traveling with Bishop Asbury, the first American Methodist Bishop, tells of a camp meeting near Dover, started by "the old warrior", Rev. John Chalmers, who opened the cam- paign from the Text, "Speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward." "The work of the reviv- al," says Boehm, "commenced in a powerful manner under the first ser- mon and continued through the night. There were 68 converted and 29 Sanctified that Saturday night— Sabbath was a high day in Zion—198 were converted and 160 Sanctified. Hallelujah! This was during the day. The work continued all night, and 127 were converted, and 100 Sanctified before the sun rose in the East."

"On Monday, I preached at night from Luke 14:22-23, 'And yet there is room.' The work went on glori- ously all night. During the meeting there were reported 1320 conver- sions, and 916 Sanctifications. This is wonderful. I give the figures just as I wrote them down in my Journal in July 1806. Shall these eyes be- fore they are closed in death ever witness such scenes again? Shall these ears ever hear such cries of dis- tress, such shouts of joy, such songs of victory? Shall this aged heart ever feel such shocks of Divine power as I felt on that consecrated ground?"

Of another camp meeting in Vir- ginia, Rev. Henry Boehm says: "On Thursday morning our camp meeting commenced, and the work of God

broke out in several tents before a single sermon was preached. The work went on nearly all night, and the next morning they reported 122 converted and 84 sanctified. The number of conversions reported in the course of the meeting was over 900."

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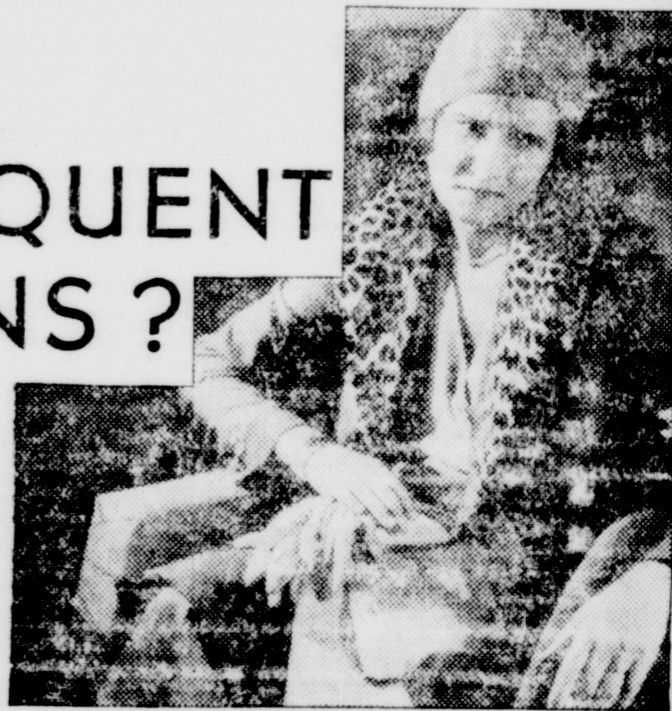
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ming.

Our editor is in receipt of an in-
teresting letter from Joe Harvey
Wilson, who is attending Brown
University in Providence, R. I. Mr.
Wilson is beginning a series of ar-
ticles and sketches of New England
for this paper, which will prove to be
very interesting to our readers.
Watch for the initial article.

Albert Bendele and Felix Stinson
of Riomedina were in Hondo Wed-
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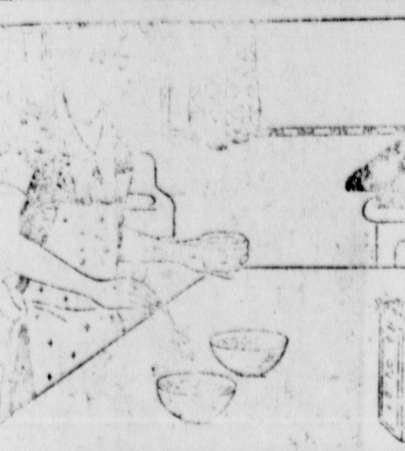
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Hints For Homemakers

By Jane Rogers



FRESH peaches in mid-winter, to
grasp, our cereals and for de-
sert, means like a dream, but for
the first time in history fruit has
been successfully treated by a
quick freezing process which makes
it available for the winter. It is in
all its original flavor and freshness.
The peaches that will be enjoyed
this winter promise to be the first
of a long line of new and delicious
food products for the family menu.

Two or three lumps of sugar
added to the vinegar will give a
pleasant and appealing flavor to
practically all pickles.

James Bailey arrived home one
day last week from Caripito, Vene-
zuela, where for the past year he had
been employed by the West India Oil
Company. He is now the guest of
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond
Bailey.

Mrs. L. B. Murrill, formerly of
Kansas City, Mo., but now of San
Antonio, has been the guest of her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Newton,
since the holidays. Mrs. Murrill was
formerly Miss Marguerite Newton.

Mrs. Ernest Brotze and daughter,
Miss Ernestina, accompanied by
Master Sammy Adair, Mrs. Brotze's
little grandson, were out from San
Antonio Wednesday visiting Mr. and
Mrs. Jacob Reily.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reily were
most agreeably surprised one day of
last week with a short visit from
their two sons, J. M. Reily of Quit-
man, Miss., and Paul P. Reily of An-
son, Texas.

Mesdames O. H. Miller, R. J.
Noonan and W. H. Smith were visit-
ors in San Antonio Friday. Mrs.
Miller and Mrs. Noonan remained
over night with Mrs. Robert Decker.

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Velvet Motor Oil. Once you give it a
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Friends of Mrs. Doyle Cockrell will
be glad to know she was able to leave
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week, as she has fully recovered from
a recent operation.

For dependable service let us in-
stall in your car or Delco plant the
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Friends of Mr. Arthur Bippert
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Free Show Coming

Art Names Own Famous Dramatics company in their big heated Tent centre will be in Hondo one week beginning Monday January 26. While this company has never played in this town before it has the reputation of being one of the finest dramatic companies on the road. They are playing to packed houses at Sabinal this week. Call some of your friends at Sabinal and ask about this fine show. The regular price of admission at this show is adults 35c and children 25c. Mr. Names in order to introduce the company for the first time to the community will admit everybody FREE at the front door Monday night, January 26. There will be a charge of ten cents for children and 15 cents for adults for reserved seats.

NEW FOUNTAIN METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday, Jan. 18th, was a high tide day for New Fountain Methodist. A splendid crowd came to hear the new Presiding Elder, Rev. Har- Goodenough, everybody enjoyed the message as it was a real spiritual feast. His subject was, "Tarry ye in Jerusalem." He said, "One of the reasons that Christianity is so in grasping the multitudes was lack of PRAYER life. How about your LIFE?" At the close of the service, Rev. Goodenough called a session of the Quarterly Conference, only the officials were absent, splendid reports were given by the Pastor, the Leader, Sunday School Superintendent, Epworth League President, Woman's Missionary Society. We are praying and planning for the best year that New Fountain M. E. ever had in their history. Listen, YOU can make it come.

Correction: Instead of the 23rd January, the Westmoreland Group will be with us on the 25th of January as stated in last week's paper. Aerial invitation is extended all.

The Empty Pew

The empty pew has an eloquent message. Though its message is unsent it is one that all may hear. The preacher the empty pew says, "Your sermon is not worth while." The visitor it whispers, "You see, we are not quite holding our own." The Treasurer it shouts, "Look for a deficit." To the stranger it looks for a church home. The guests, "You had better wait a while." To the members who are absent it asks, "Why don't we go next Sabbath day, too?" The empty pew speaks against the church, it kills inspiration and smooths the edge of the fine edge of the church. The empty pew is a weight. The occupied pew is a WING. You will be missed because thy pew will be empty." 1 Sam. 20:18.

AUTO RACE MEET.

As briefly announced on the last of last week's paper, preparations are going forward for a big auto race meet at the Medina County Grounds next Sunday, January 27. There will also be a big dance that evening.

Those who have not seen the program, Secretary C. M. Merritt informs that a goodly array of the fastest cars in Texas are being assembled and he looks for a good race.

PTIST CHURCH PROGRAM.

Sunday School at 10:00 A. M. in the direction of Superintendent Marion McDowell. Morning Service at 11:00 A. M., with Rev. Merrill preaching. Y. P. U. at 6:30 P. M. Miss Gertrude Clements in charge of the session, "A Challenge of Unfinished Business." Evening Service at 7:00 P. M., Dr. Merrill delivering the address. Everyone is cordially invited to all services at this church.

IF

have a farm, ranch, home or lots for sale or trade, list them in the Hondo Land Co. Extensive advertising given to all listings.

FOR SALE.

Black Minorca roosters, Pape and Strains. MRS. W. J. NEY. 2t do job printing.



The R-K-O Majestic Theatre, San Antonio, Texas, a unit of the Radio-Keith-Orpheum Circuit, is celebrating its Second Anniversary. January has been proclaimed by the Show World "GREATER SHOW MONTH" for R-K-O Theatres from Coast to Coast.

In honor of this occasion the R-K-O Majestic Theatre is presenting Greater Screen and Stage Attractions, as a means of appreciation, of the full measure of support "Our Patrons" have given us.

Our Big Fun Cake is Baked—The Candles are Lit—We're Two Years Old—We're Celebrating, and The R-K-O Majestic Theatre is waiting with hand outstretched to greet you to its Big Party.

The entertainment this week is one of the hand picked Intact Unit Shows direct from New York, selected for this Gala Occasion. It's one of the Big Anniversary Programs, opening Friday January 23rd, bringing to you

HALLE DER DUNLAY LOGE NO. 285 O. D. H. S.

Da der unerbittliche Tod unsern werten Bruder E. A. Balzen, aus unserer Mitte genommen hat, so sei es ihm. Beschlossen, dem dahingeschiedenen Bruder ein trübes Andenken zu bewahren, den Freibrief der Loge auf 30 Tage mit Trauerfort zu umhüllen, eine mit dem Siegel der Loge versehene Abschrift dieser Beschlüsse seiner tief betrauten Wittwe zu übermitteln, dieselben im Protokollbuch der Loge einzutragen und im "Anvil Herald" zu veröffentlichen.

Tell your real estate wants to Hondo Land Co.

Universal's Dramatic Screen Offering, "FREE LOVE" with Conrad Nagel and Genevieve Tobin in the stellar roles, and an all star supporting cast.

On the stage the R-K-O Vaudeville brings an array of acts brimful of speed, joy and fun that is bright and breezy.

The headline act for this Celebration Jack McLallen and "Sarah" (Miss Doris Ellington) and Tony Labriola in an offering of Music, Chatter and Comedy.

Joseph Howard with Mary Oleott and Company in a Melange of Music and Song.

Four Peaches and a Jay, in a Joy Ride of Song and Dance.

Johnny Hyman, the Man who plays Pranks with Webster, with his black-board and chalk, in a comedy chatter offering.

Join in Our Celebration, enjoy these "Anniversary Shows," they have been brought here for your pleasure and amusement.

THE NEW STAG LINE.

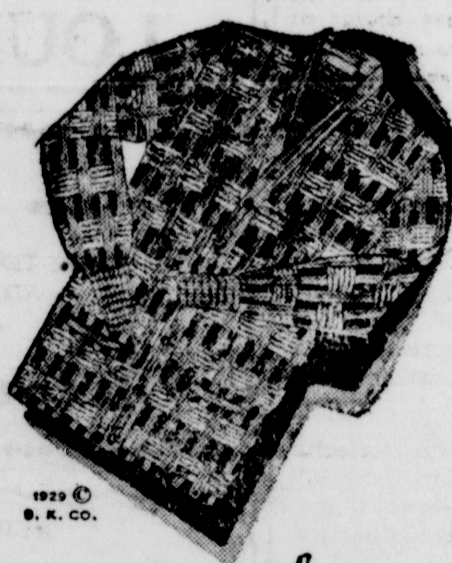
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ALL MEN'S FANCY SHIRTS REDUCED.

E. R. Beinweber Co.

MARRIED.

Miss Eunice Surber and Sidney Seathoff were married last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom North in this city. Rev. G. T. Hester performing the ceremony. A number of friends of the young couple were present. After the wedding the young couple was given a rousing charivari reception by the following young people: Leo and Howard Eckhart, Bruce Mansfield, Tom Adamietz, Bargin Davenport, Fred Hamilton, Carl Adamietz, Duane Rugh, Phil Kindla, Misses Lora Thallman Ruth Smith, Edith North, Lula North, Elizabeth McBryde, Hedwig Adamietz, Elsie Adamietz, Elsie Lee Faris, Blanche Adamietz and Rebecca Perry.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seathoff and is an energetic young ranchman. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Surber, and is a very popular young lady. They will reside in Bandera until their ranch home near Tarpley is remodeled. The New Era joins in congratulations and best wishes.

—Bandera New Era.

BLUE STEELE ORCHESTRA AT KINCAID DANCE.

Manager Moore of the Kincaid Hotel of Uvalde is being congratulated on securing The Blue Steele Victor Recording Orchestra for the dance at the Kincaid night of January 30. It will be the original cast of some fifteen pieces. This famous aggregation of top notch musicians are known to radio fans with the "Little Boy Blue" announcer. Every effort will be made to make this occasion one of the best dances and entertainments given at this famous hotel. Make your plans to be in attendance and enjoy the dancing to the accompaniment of this orchestra who are a feature of the Gunter Nite Club in the Cave at San Antonio.

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A CORDIAL INVITATION

is extended to all readers of this paper to visit our wonderful eating establishment when you are in San Antonio.

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The Right to Love

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SCREEN SONG "STRIKE UP THE BAND"

SATURDAY, JANUARY 31

"HER MAN"

THE COMEDY "IT MIGHT BE WORSE" MATINEES: SATURDAY AND SUNDAY AT 3:00 P. M. NIGHTS 7:30 P. M.

Kazmeier Baby Chicks

WHITE LEGHORN - BARRED ROCKS AND S. C. R. L. REDS - FROM TRAPNEST BLOODTESTED AND PEDIGREE BRED HENS. EVERY NEST ON MY FARM IS A TRAPNEST. THE TRAPNEST IS THE ONLY SURE WAY OF BREEDING FOR HIGH FLOCK AVERAGE EGG-PRODUCTION. WRITE:

F. W. Kazmeier, Bryan, Texas.

(FORMERLY POULTRY HUSBANDMAN TEXAS A. & M.)

The One Gallus Produce Man

DO YOU REMEMBER THE BIG AD IN THE SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS BEFORE CHRISTMAS THAT THE BIG EMPRESS PRODUCE COMPANY PUT OUT ABOUT US LITTLE FELLOWS, CALLING US THE ONE GALLUS PRODUCE KIND? THEY ARE RIGHT; THAT'S ALL WE ARE; JUST THE ONE GALLUS KIND. BUT DO YOU KNOW WHO THE BIG EMPRESS PRODUCE COMPANY IS? OR WHO THE RAMRODDERS ARE? YOU DO REMEMBER THE NEW YORK BUYERS' ASSOCIATION, DO YOU NOT? IF YOU DO NOT, ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR, YOUR MERCHANT OR BANKER; HE CAN TELL YOU OR HE MAY HAVE A REMINDER THAT HE CAN SHOW YOU.

ONE THING I CAN SAY ABOUT MY ONE GALLUS BUSSINESS IS THAT THE ONE BUTTON THAT THE ONE GALLUS IS FASTENED TO IS STILL HOLDING. MY POCKETS HAVE NOT GOTTEN SO HEAVY THAT THE ONE GALLUS IS NOT A PLenty.

REMEMBER THAT I AM IN THE MARKET TWELVE MONTHS OF THE YEAR FOR YOUR POULTRY AND EGGS. I WANT THE CREAM OF YOUR PRODUCE AS WELL AS THE OTHER, BUT I BUY IT ALL.

EARL WATSON

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TEXAS AND TEXANS.

By
Will H. Mayes
"All Texans for All Texas"

"So Big, Texas"

Property values in Texas are \$12,000,000,000 according to figures compiled by T. F. Harwell, retiring statistician of the State Department of Agriculture, and newspaper man. He values the 168,000,000 acres of Texas lands at \$4,000,000,000, the cultivated lands including improvements at \$3,000,000,000. Contrary to reports frequently made, he finds that twice as much land is cultivated by owners as by tenants.

Turkeys raised last year are valued at \$8,000,000, chickens at \$17,000,000, eggs at \$27,500,000, the poultry crop being worth one-sixth of the cotton crop marketed. Dairy products are valued at \$120,500,000, or about two-fifths that of the cotton.

The figures are especially interesting in that they show that Texas farmers are profiting by diversifying their farm interests.

Leads in Railroad Building

Texas will again lead all other States in the Union in railroad building in 1931, according to the Bulletin issued by the Southern Pacific Railway, for the fourth year in succession. This leadership is despite the fact that the I. C. C. is showing a disposition to restrict railway construction rather than encourage it.

Rates to Be Lowered

The Texas Railroad Commission has announced that it will permit all railroad lines operating in Texas to reduce fares to two cents a mile as fast as the roads apply for permits to do so. On a number of lines this reduction has already been made between named points. The rail lines, however, may not expect to get greatly increased passenger travel until the Pullman car rates are reduced to something like pre-war levels. The war has been over for more than twelve years, but the public is still paying, theoretically, the losses incident to the transportation of American soldiers and war equipment.

Motor Line Complaints

Competition with bus and truck lines operating on State-owned highways has cut down the revenue of the railroads in Texas to an alarming extent. It is largely a case of old methods suffering from the new. In turn the motor truck lines in the near future may lose much business to the air lines.

Buses and trucks are already coming much into disfavor because they are "hogging" the highways and endangering the lives of the people who build and maintain them, without paying any considerable revenue for the use of the roads. They are daily becoming more dangerous and more insolent. In many counties mass meetings are being held urging the legislature to place greater restrictions around the operation of buses and trucks and requiring them to pay more for the use of the roads. The present legislature will doubtless make some drastic changes in the laws governing them.

Legislative Redistricting

The number of legislators will likely be increased under the new census apportionment, despite the fact that any observer of legislative proceedings will agree that the Texas House of Representatives is now at least twice too large for efficient and economical service. There is no good reason why the large cities should have eight or ten or even more than one representative, or why rural districts having like interests should have representatives for each county even should each be thickly populated. The legislative bodies of Texas should have enough State patriotism to bring about a decided reduction in legislative membership even if it does throw some of the members out of official positions.

Which Shall It Be?

County Judge Dancy of Cameron county, advocates the consolidation of Hidalgo, Cameron and Willacy counties as a means of cutting down expenses of local government, placing the county seat at Ed Couch. Citizens of Harlingen favor creating a new county from these three with Harlingen as the county seat, and say that it is now necessary to drive 40 miles from the north end of Cameron county to get to the county seat at Brownsville. Advocates of county consolidation point out that with paved roads it is easier to travel 40 miles now than it was to go four miles when the present counties were created.

Huge Park Project

The legislature will be asked to appropriate \$1,250,000 to acquire and establish four major State parks totaling more than 100,000 acres. The parks would embrace 20,400 acres in Davis Mountains, 40,000 acres in Palo Duro Canyon, 39,000 acres in Guadalupe Mountains and Carlsbad Cave Park and 10,000 acres at Caddo Lake on the Texas-Louisiana line. Much of the land has been tendered the State for parks, and a large part of the appropriation would be expended in improved highways. The

project would give Texas as attractive parks as can be found in the country and would largely increase resort travel to the State.

Six Million Dollar Dam

Bids will be received the last of this month for the construction of a huge dam and power house on the Colorado river near Llano and Burnet, the first of several dams to be erected on the river above Austin. The power that will be produced has already been sold to utility companies. A five mile railroad is being constructed from the dam site to the Southern Pacific railroad. The project is one of the largest of the many great developments under way in Texas and will attract many people and much wealth to the Llano-Burnet section.

Unusual Fire Record

Pharr has a fire record that challenges all others in the State. Not a single fire alarm was turned in during 1930. The last fire was in September 1929 and the loss was slight. If all Texas towns could make anything like proportionately good reports, fire insurance rates would soon become a nominal charge against property.

Co-Operative Buying

The county farm agent of Mason county in his annual report says that about 25 farmers who bought fertilizers co-operatively last year saved about \$5.00 a ton of their purchases. The result is that they will buy together again this year and other farmers will go in with them. The strangest thing about farmers is that is always been so hard to get them to unite for their common good, even though they are shown that it pays them to do so.

Land Sells Well

A Wisconsin man recently bought 250 acres of undeveloped land in the Winter Garden district of Texas paying \$45,000 for the tract, part of which will be put in cultivation this year. This is merely a straw showing that productive Texas lands have not decreased in value.

Church Fellowship

The spirit of religious fellowship is shown at Catarina, where members of thirteen different denominations have joined a community church and where the affairs of the church are conducted on the basis of Christian fellowship rather than denominational tenets. The church building is a handsome structure donated to the community by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jarratt of San Antonio large local landowners.

Making Poultry Pay

Owners of 250 farm poultry demonstration flocks last year, with a total of 54,000 hens, made an average profit of \$1.85 per hen, which was more than twice the average for the State. The feed cost was \$1.70 per hen, varying from 9 cents in April to 27 cents in November. This should prove to any one that with proper care a flock of farm poultry can be made to pay the expenses of almost any farm family.

NEVER DOUBT.

The first step to failure is the first doubt of yourself. If you would succeed up to the limit of your possibilities, keep constantly to the belief that you are success-organized, and that you will reach your goal no matter what opposes. Never allow a shadow of doubt to enter your mind, to dim your courage. Regard every suggestion of failure as a traitor, and expel it from your mind as you would a thief from your house.—Inspiration.

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NOTICE FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, on Monday, February 9, A. D. 1931 at 10 o'clock A. M. in the Courthouse in the town of Hondo, will receive bids from any banking corporation, association or individual banker, that may desire to act as the depository of the funds of Medina County.

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker in Medina County desiring to bid, shall deliver to the County Judge, on or before the time above set forth, a sealed proposal stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association or individual banker offers to pay on the funds of the county, computed on daily balances, for the term between the date the said bid and the next regular time for the selection of a depository. Said bid shall be accompanied by a certified check of not less than one-half of one per cent of the county revenue of the preceding year as a guaranty of the good faith of the bidder, and that, if his bid should be accepted, he will enter into the bond as provided by law for county depositories, and upon the failure of the banking corporation, association or individual banker in said county that may be selected as such depository, to give the bond required by law, the amount of such certified check shall go to the county as liquidated damages.

The county reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

R. J. NOONAN,
County Judge, Medina County,
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By P. G. Holden,
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Rotation maintains fertility. Crop rotation, including the growing of alfalfa, clovers or other legumes, and the raising of live stock maintains soil fertility. Whenever we have crop rotation, we have live stock; whenever we have live stock we have crop rotation. The two are inseparable. Not only do they maintain soil fertility, but they improve the condition of the soil.

Weeds, insect pests and plant diseases flourish whenever we follow a one-crop system. Rotation keeps down the weeds, starves out many destructive insects and helps to eliminate plant diseases.

Rotation gives us a variety of feed; makes the raising of live stock more profitable; gives us something to sell every week in the year.

In wide sections where the one-crop system predominates, there is no country home life, few children and few country schools. There may be great fields but the soil is "sick"—



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FARM LOANS

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Block 3

50	10	1	
\$125		W. H. Windrow	60
	150	150	
	9	2	
\$100		W. H. Windrow	60
	150	150	
	8	3	
\$100		\$100	60
	150	150	
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Block 2

50	9	1
\$125	60	\$100
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\$100	60	2
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Block 4

10	1
\$125	\$125
150	150
9	2
\$100	Fletcher Davis
150	150
8	3
\$100	\$100
150	150
7	4
\$100	\$100
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6	5
\$125	\$125
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Block 5

9	1
\$125	J. R. Mays
150	75
8	106
\$100	2
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	1 acre	
\$300		170
	256	
	10	
	1 acre	
\$300		170
	256	

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A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Viola Koch

To whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Koch is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1931

Mrs. Alfred Zinsmeyer and daughters, Grace and Lorene, and Miss Cornelia Koch were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Ferdie Koch and daughters, Viola and Corine, and Alex Keller were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Miss Josephine Vogel and brother, Henry, spent last Monday in San Antonio visiting their sister, Mrs. Anthony Weitaska.

Mrs. Frank Finger and children and Wm. Finger spent Wednesday in Castroville.

Joe Miller was a Hondo visitor on Monday.

Mrs. Adolph Haass, Francis Meier and daughter, Nora of Hondo, and Mary Morton of San Antonio were the guests of Mrs. Christina Rudinger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mueller were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Homer Long and children of Knippa were visitors here during the week.

Mr. Arthur Poerner of Devine was a visitor here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Koch and children of Houston, Mr. John Koch of Hondo, were visitors here during the week.

Miss Corine Koch spent Saturday in Hondo as the guest of Miss Myrtice Masters.

Mr. Ed. Keller was a Hondo business visitor Friday.

Mrs. Frank Kimmerly, Fred Stieneman, and Christina Rudinger were Hondo visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and children of Knippa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ernest and family on the Ernest Ranch.

A card party, Sunday night, January 25th at the Parish hall. Come and win a prize and enjoy a good lunch.

SECO COMMUNITY P. T. A.

The Seco Community Parent Teacher Association met at the school for their regular meeting on Friday evening, January 9th, at 8 o'clock.

The entertainment was in the form of songs and two playlets given by the following junior members: Margaret Lutz, Agnes Rothe, Beulah Rudinger, Hubert Lutz, Raymond Weyand, Louis Lutz, Lee Rudinger, and Alphonse Lutz.

UPPER QUIHI NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burger from Peach Tree, Mrs. Katie Mumme and son, Earnest, of Vandenburg visited Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Mumme and family Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Schuehle, Mrs. Gabe Haby, Mr. and Mrs. Stearl Haby, Mr. and Mrs. George Balzen, Mr. and Mrs. John Moehring, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schulte, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Otto Neumann and daughters, Misses Hulda and Esther, Mrs. C. H. Fous, and Mrs. E. W. Bal-

zen attended the funeral of Mrs. August Hutzler in Castroville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Schweers and sons, C. J. and J. D., and Mrs. Anton Burger were San Antonio visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. Oscar Reitzer and son of San Antonio is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Mumme.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kauffman and Mrs. Edgar Balzen visited relatives and friends in San Antonio Tuesday and Wednesday.

Tony and Hugo Haby of Riomedina were business visitors here Thursday.

Miss Hulda Balzen came out from San Antonio to be at the bedside of her father, Mr. Herman Balzen, who is seriously ill.

Messrs. Rohlf and Ernest Saathoff were in San Antonio Wednesday, and were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Burger. Friends of Mr. Burger will be glad to learn that he is improving rapidly following a serious operation at the Santa Rosa Hospital three weeks ago.

Messrs. Fritz Fous and Herbert Saathoff were business visitors in San Antonio Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben de Grodt, Mr. Fritz Neumann, Mrs. Theo. Barth and Mrs. Annie Neumann, and Mr. George Karm attended the funeral of Mrs. Katie Duffy in Houston Thursday.

Mrs. Duffy is a daughter of Mrs. Neumann and a sister to Mrs. Ben de Grodt and Mr. Fritz Neuman.

Madred Lindeburg, who underwent a serious operation for appendicitis in the Hondo Hospital some time ago, is improving rapidly and was moved to the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Saathoff.

Jessie Burger and sister, Miss Evelyn, from near Tarpley visited Mrs. Annie Saathoff on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Saathoff and daughters, Linda Bell and Joyce Marie, and Woodrow Maier of San Antonio spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Saathoff and son, Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Zimmerman and daughters of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Balzen and son, Earl, Saturday night and Sunday.

Jim Lynch of Hondo was a business visitor here Saturday. Miss Hulda Oefinger is staying in Hondo and is the guest of Mrs. Emil Britsch.

Hillard Mumme and Charlie Oefinger were business visitors in San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eckhart, Jr., of Del Rio spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Eckhart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Brucks.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Burger on Sunday, January 18, 1931, a baby daughter.

Mrs. Rose Boehle celebrated her birthday Sunday by inviting her children and grandchildren to a fine dinner. The day was spent with joy for young and old in conversation and playing games. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brucks and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Grell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Nietenhoefer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Boehle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Armin Breiten and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boehle and son, and Edwin Boehle.

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W. Speece at residence opposite north-west corner of courthouse.

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Address: 4221 West Third Street, Los Angeles, California.

MRS. ANASTASTIA HUTZLER.

Mrs. Anastasia Hutzler, nee Mehr, died Monday, January 12, 1931, at her home in Castroville at 8:30 P. M. Mrs. Hutzler was born on May 20, 1847, in Alsace Lorraine, and was therefore 83 years, 7 months and 12 days old. On January 1866 she was happily married to Augustine Hutzler who survives her, and of this union 5 children were born, three boys and two girls, namely, Louis, Edmund, and Alfred Hutzler, Mrs. Edmund Haby of Dunlay and Mrs. August Tschirhart, Sr. of Castroville. She also leaves 12 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren, one brother, Joe Mehr, and 2 sisters, Mrs. Catherine Holzhaus and Mrs. Josephine Naegelin of Castroville, and many other near and dear relatives to mourn her passing. Mr. and Mrs. Hutzler resided at Bader Settlement for the greater part of their lives but some five years ago moved to Castroville where on Christmas day she was stricken with the fatal illness, dropsy of the heart, together with old age, being the cause of her death. A good mother, a kind neighbor and an old pioneer has gone to her reward. The funeral took place Wednesday morning, January 14th, at 9:30 o'clock, with a Requiem Mass said by Rev. J. Lenzen, and her remains were interred in the St. Louis Cemetery.

MR. GERHARD IHNKEN.

Our little town and surrounding community was shocked Tuesday afternoon by the sudden death of Mr. Gerhard Ihnken. Although he had

QUIHI NOTES.

"I am the door; by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture." John 10, 9.

Divine service, a congregational meeting and the election of vestrymen will take place in St. John's Lutheran church of New Fountain, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. All are cordially invited to be present.

Sunday night at 7 o'clock, divine service in the English tongue will be held in Bethlehem Lutheran church. Please bring your English hymn book to this service. Come with your friends and neighbors and worship the Lord.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Quihi meets Thursday afternoon, Feb. 5, in the Lutheran parish hall. Aside from the membership all ladies who are invited to be present. The hostesses of the day will be Mesdames John Balzen, Louis Schweers and Dietrich Lindenburg.

The Quihi Luther League held a very interesting business meeting last Sunday night. One new member was received, and funds voted for several very necessary improvements. The annual election resulted as follows: Miss Emma Nietenhoefer, vice-president; Mr. Edwin Grell, secretary; Mr. Walter Grell, treasurer, and Mr. Otto Lindeburg and Mr. Ernest Thomas, auditors.

The program rendered by the Luther League Sunday night in the Bethlehem Lutheran church was fine, interesting and entertaining from beginning to end. All numbers on the program, musical, literary and oratorical were well selected and well rendered and afforded pleasure and profit to the appreciative audience, which in spite of very bad weather was present in large numbers. The laurels of the day went to Mr. Jacob Saathoff, whose timely and interesting address was greatly enjoyed by all present.

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LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

B. FITZSIMON, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE OFFICE AT CASTROVILLE DRUG STORE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. FitzSimon or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. FitzSimon is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 21, 1931

been ill for several days, he was reported to be better when his sudden death came. Mr. Ihnken was born at Castroville, January 10, 1883, having at his death attained the age of 48 years and 3 days. Mr. Ihnken was happily married to Miss Blanche Boehme on February 5, 1912. Mr. Ihnken, a well known and liked man, is survived by his widow, Mrs. Blanche Ihnken, two children, Harriet and Eric, also an adopted daughter, Frances Koch. Aside from his family are his father, Mr. Louis Ihnken, two brothers, Louis and Leo of Castroville, also two sisters, Mrs. Charles Boehme of Castroville and Mrs. John Schorp of Pearall. Interment was made in the Catholic Cemetery at Castroville with Rev. J. Lenzen of the St. Louis Church officiating.

Mrs. Alvin Wurzbach and little daughter, Adrienne, of Kansas City, and Mrs. Fred Muckenfuse of Houston are visiting Mrs. H. F. Wurzbach and family.

Freddy Wernette is here with his uncle, Aug. Koehnig, who has been sick but is better at this writing. Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon is rebuilding and remodeling her garage and grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keller and Schuhart family were visiting Mrs. Louis tonio. Funeral at Roselawn Cemetery.

Miss Irene Burell was in San Antonio Sunday.

Raymond Moehring, Miss Harriet Holzhaus and guests of Miss Madeline Kilborn were in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jungman, Sr. and family of Devine attended Mrs. Hutzler's funeral.

Miss Josephine Brymer spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. Brymer and family.

The dance was well attended and much enjoyed Sunday night.

Mr. Joe Bader of Hondo attended the funeral of Mrs. Hutzler.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Ahr and family were San Antonio visitors Monday.

William Mangold was a D'Hanis visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Graff were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. O. E. Hutzler and son, Jack of Dunlay spent Tuesday with Dr. Brymer and family.

Miss Mary FitzSimon and Mr. Rowe of California, and James FitzSimon of Runge spent an afternoon with Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon.

Mrs. J. D. McCoy gave Castroville a pleasant visit Tuesday.

Mrs. John Conway (nee Lilla Schott) died Tuesday in San Antonio. Funeral at Roselawn Cemetery.

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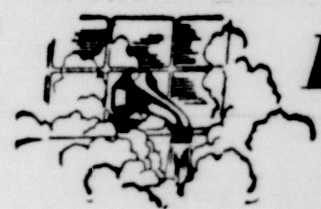
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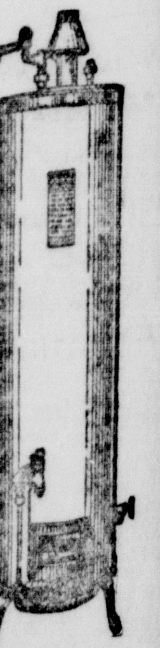
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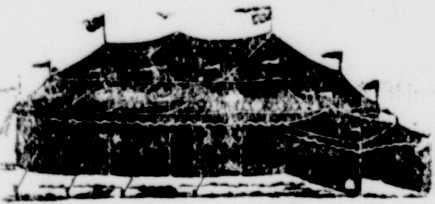
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